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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yuichi HIGUCHI, et al.) : Examiner: D. Tran
Appln. No.: 08/909,966) : Group Art Unit: 2724
Filed: August 12, 1997) :
For: PRINTING APPARATUS AND) November 1, 1999
ITS CONTROL METHOD)

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 30, 1999, the period for response to which having been extended to October 30, 1999, by the accompanying Petition for extension of time and fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 2, line 5, after "such" insert --a--; and
line 19, delete "printer from".

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